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Kennewick Irrigation District
12 West Kennewick Avenue
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**KENNEWICK IRRIGATION DISTRICT
RESOLUTION 2015-06**

**AUTHORIZATION TO WAIVE COMPETITIVE BIDDING AND AWARD A
SOLE SOURCE CONTRACT TO PURCHASE ENDOTHALL AQUATIC
HERBICIDE FORMULATION PURSUANT TO 87.03.435(3)(c)**

WHEREAS, the Board of Directors of the Kennewick Irrigation District has established a General Purchasing Policy 2.13 that establishes the rules for acquiring services, contractors, materials, supplies, and equipment; and

WHEREAS, RCW 87.03.435(3)(c) provides for establishing the purchase price by direct negotiation if the purchase is clearly limited to a single source of supply or to purchases involving special facilities, services, or market conditions, in which instances the purchase price may be best established by negotiation; and

WHEREAS, the District has a program of using Dipotassium Salt of Endothall to control aquatic weed growth in the canal system during the operating season; and

WHEREAS, the Engineering and Operation Departments has determined by a thorough vendor search and verification by manufacturer that the product can only be purchased from United Phosphorus, Inc.; and

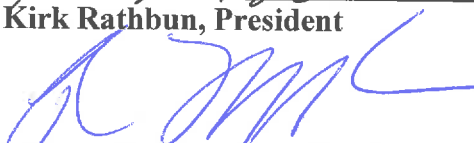
WHEREAS, United Phosphorus, Inc. is the only producer of this chemical and holds the sole Environmental Protection Agency label for this chemical for aquatic application; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Kennewick Irrigation District Board of Directors waives competitive bidding; authorizes the award of a sole source contract; approves the purchase of up to 1000 gallons in an amount not to exceed \$80,000; and authorizes the District Manager to execute the contract.

Resolution 2015-06 is hereby adopted by the Board of Directors of Kennewick Irrigation District, Benton County, Washington, at an open public meeting thereof this 3rd day of March, 2015.


Kirk Rathbun, President


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